

House Study Bill 678

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EDUCATION BILL BY
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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the funding of school district programs for
2 returning dropouts and dropout prevention.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:
4 TLSB 6417HC 82
5 ak/sc/8

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1 1 Section 1. Section 257.38, subsection 2, Code 2007, is
1 2 amended to read as follows:
1 3 2. Program plans shall identify the parts of the plan that
1 4 will be implemented first upon approval of the request. If a
1 5 district is requesting to use modified allowable growth to
1 6 finance the program, the school district shall not identify
1 7 more than ~~five~~ seven percent of its budget enrollment for the
1 8 budget year as returning dropouts and potential dropouts.

1 9 EXPLANATION
1 10 This bill allows a school district to identify up to 7
1 11 percent of the district's budget enrollment as returning
1 12 dropouts and potential dropouts when the district is
1 13 requesting to use modified allowable growth to fund a program
1 14 for returning dropouts and dropout prevention. A school
1 15 district was previously allowed to identify only 5 percent of
1 16 the district's budget enrollment as returning dropouts or
1 17 potential dropouts.
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